

Page 24, line 13, please delete "retaining" and replace with:

--elongated--;

Page 24, line 14, please delete "end" and replace with:

--lip--;

Page 25, line 9, please delete "retaining" and replace with:

--elongated--;

Page 25, line 11, please delete "mat" and replace with:

--may--;

Page 25, line 13, after the article "the", please insert the following:

--surface of the eye including the--;

Page 25, line 13, please delete "Conjunctival" and replace with:

--Conjunctiva--;

Page 28, line 19, please delete "retaining" and replace with:

--elongated--;

Page 28, line 20, please delete "thin elongated" and replace with:

--an external--;

Page 28, same line 20, please delete "lip" and replace with:

--member--;

Page 31, line 2, please delete "retaining" and replace with:

--elongated--;

Page 39, line 13, please delete "retaining" and replace with:

--elongated--;

Page 39, line 16, please delete "retaining" and replace with:

--elongated--;

Page 39, line 20, please delete "retaining" and replace with:

--elongated--;

Page 39, line 23, please delete "retaining" and replace with:

--elongated--;

Page 40, line 8, please delete "retaining" and replace with:

--elongated--;

Page 40, line 16, please delete "retaining" and replace with:

--elongated--;

Page 41, line 3, please delete "retaining" and replace with:

--elongated--;

Page 43, line 10, after "illustrates", please insert:

--a--;

Page 45, line 18, please delete "area 272" and replace with:

--section 248--; and

Page 45, line 19, please delete "252" and replace with:

--232--;

#### IN THE CLAIMS

501  
B.7.  
A1

1. (Amended) An implant comprising  
an elongated member having a pair of ends wherein one of  
said pair of ends includes a thin elongated lip having a  
posterior surface, said thin elongated lip being located on said  
elongated member to position the thin elongated [tip] lip in a  
generally anterior direction upon insertion in to a punctum  
opening to position the posterior surface away from a surface of  
an eye, said elongated member being formed of a dimension to pass  
through a punctum opening of an eye.

2. (Amended) The implant of claim [2] 1 wherein said  
elongated member has an elongated axis and wherein said thin  
elongated lip has a posterior [edge] surface and central axis  
wherein said [control] central axis is positioned anterior to the  
elongated axis of said elongated member and positions the